



# Colts in Fourth Place---Challenge Goobers for Post-Season Series

## **MATHEWSON BACK INOLDTIMEFORM**; **WALLOPS PIRATES**

While Cubs Split With Brooklyn, Giants Strengthen Hold.

#### BOTH PITCHERS ARE HIT HARD

Matty, However, Was Effective in Pinches, but Camnitz Retires Early-Phillies Trounce Cincinnati, and St. Louis Breaks Even With. Boston.

#### National League

RESULTS YESTERDAY.
Philadelphia, 3; Cincinnati, 1.
New York, 0; Pittaburg, 3.
Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 4 (first Chicago, 3; Brooklyn, 2 (second

Louis, 2; Boston, 1 (first game). Louis, 4; Boston, 5 (second

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

St. Louis ..... 61 53 535 Brooklyn .... 45 68 .398 .389 Boston ...... 29 86 .252 .362

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY. No games scheduled.

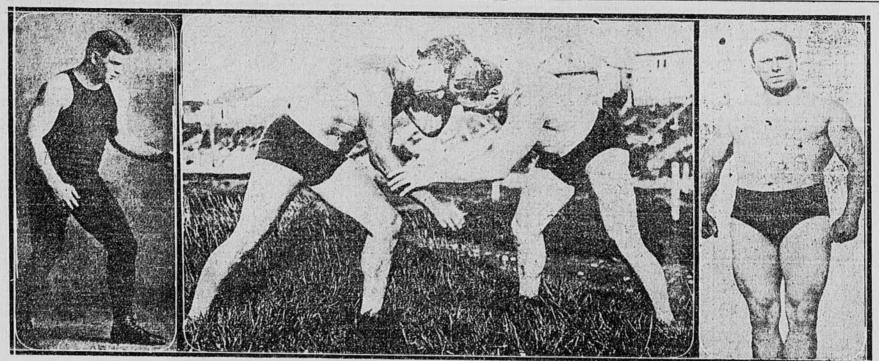
York increased its lead to-day by defeating Pittsburg in the last game of the series, while Chicago was dividing a double-header honors with Brooklyn. Camnitz and Mathewson, the defeated pitchers in Thursday's double-header, were serfe back to face each other. Though Mathewson was

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Clarke. Wilson.	rf.	4	1	1	0	0	Becker.	rf	4	0	1	0	0
Miller.	3b	4	1	4	3	1	Merkle.	11	4	1	13	1	0
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#### PHILLIES BACK IN FORM

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M'Lean, c	0	8	1	1	Spence	r e	3	1	6	9	1
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Wrestlers Who Will Try for World's Championship



FRANK GOTCH.

# GREATEST OF ALL

His Ring Career Puts Many of Post-Season Series Meets With the Younger Bruisers to Shame.

HARD TASKMASTER OFFICIAL CHALLENGE ISSUED

Has-Beens Mostly Young Men, Busch Yet to Be Heard From, Who Succumb to Grueling Grind.

San Francisco, August 26.-With McGrath says, and with a marked scarcity of fighting talent staring the promoters in the face, many are askdisappear so quickly from the scenes

asking, "Where are the cracks of yes sealing, where are the cracks of yes-terday? Why can't they be located and urged to return to the game? Surely the glove play with old masters and past masters would do more enter-taining than the amateurish efforts of

with at present?
Assuredly many good ring men have gone out of commission, and the fact that the majority of them turned their backs on the game before they reached the age of thirty-five is testimony (Continued on Third Page.)

Football Season Will Be Hardest in Years-V. P. I. Thanks-

Approval, and Victory Is Expected.

but Likely to Accept.

H. C. Busch, Manager Petersbung Baseball Club, Petersburg, Va.: Busch, Manager Petersbung, Va.:

Belleving that Richmond has a better bunch of ball tosacers than the measily Cockade City imitations, I challenge you, in the name of the Richmond baseball team, to a series of five games, if that number be found necessary, to determine the tound necessary, to determine the two cities, two games to be played in Petersburg and two in Richmond, the deciding game, in event of a tie, to be played in either Richmond or Petersburg, upon the toss of a coin. Dates for the games to be decided by a committee composed of the baseball writers of Richmond and Petersburg, but it is suggested that they begin not later than September 12, so that the members of the two teams will not be detained longer than necessary.

The proceeds of the games to

Dispatch. (Signed)
STEVE GRIFFIN,
Acting for the Richmond Baseball
Team.

BY GUS MALBERT.
That's all there is to it, and the fellows are serious. Steve is to be

# FOURTH PLACE

Allo vs Two to Cross on Scratch Hit

## JOHNNY VERBOUT GETS ALL HONOR

His Fielding and Steady Pitching Give Richmond Chance to Climb Higher in Pennant Race-Priest and Martin Also Share Glory.

## Virginia League

RESULTS YESTERDAY. Richmond, 2; Lynchburg, 1 (four ud a balf innings, rain). Petersburg-Rounoke, postpoued. 

 Babb. ss.
 2 1

 Dodge. 2b.
 3 0

 Kircher, cf.
 4 0

 Block, c.
 3 1

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Lant Year.
Petersburg	62	47	.569	.430
Norfolk	62	40	.550	.465
Ronnoke	. 57	53	.518	.579
Richmond	52	58	473	.455
Lynchburg	. 52	50	.468	.462
Danville	46	65	.415	.600

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giving Day.

Raleth. N. C. August 26—Followtol. All of the home team's russ were scored off the delivery of Fromms, the way of the played unit of the played player of the played unit of the played unit of the played unit of the played player of the played players of the player of the player of the played players of the players of the

Red Sox Drop Two to Babb's Pennant Pursuers, One a Shutout.

Wild Heave in Fourth WALSH IS EFFECTIVE RECORD TIME

Second Game Won in Seventh Hughes, Who Captured Kane After Danville Had Big Lead.

took another big jump toward first place to-day at Athletic Park, when header from Danville. Scores 3 to

Walsh opposed Perryman in the first battle, and the Tars easily had the best of the argument. He held the visicut shut-out. Timely hitting on the part of the Norfolk team won the game. Norfolk hit Johnson hard and made two runs in the second inning

FIRST GAME.

Staub, If		3	0	0	1	0	-
Curtis, 3b		2	0	0	1	1	0
Green, rf		3	0	0	1	0	0
Foiles, 1b		3	1	1	9	0	U
Walsh, p		2	0	1	1	0	0
Totals		25	3	5	27	11	- 0
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		A.E	R	H	0.	A.	E.
Kauman, It		4	0	1	0	0	(
Schrader, 1b		4	0	1	7	0	- (
Jackson, 2b		4	0	2	1	3	- (
Cooper, 3b		4	0	2	2	0	1
Mayberry, ss		4	0	0	4	2	1
Hudgins, c		4	0	0	5	2	- 34
Boyne, cf		3	0	0	1	0	
			1000	201	10000	10000	
Griffin, rf		3	0	0	4.0		9

Jackson. Stolen bases—Schrader, Cooper. Babb, Dodge (2), Block (2). Double plays—Griffin to Mayberry, Base on balls—Off Perryman, 2. Left on bases—Norfolk, 3; Danville, 6. Struck out—By Walsh, 8; Perryman, 3. Wild pitches—Walsh. Time of game, 1:50. Umpire, Wilson.

SECOND GAME.

Norfoll	£.					
	A.B	R	H	0.	A.	E.
Babb. 85	5	1	1	1	2	1
Dodge, 2b	5	1	2	1	2	0
Kircher, cf	4	1	1	5	0	.0
Block, c	4	0	1	S	2	0
Staub, 1f	3	2	0	0	0	0
Curtis, 3b	4	0	2	1	1	0
Green, rf		0	1	2	0	0
Foiles, 1b	4	0	1	8	1	0
Poole, p	4	0	1	1	2	0
	-	-		-		-
Totals	35	5	10	27	10	1
Dauvill	e.					

Kaufman, If ..... 5 Totals .......36 3 10 24 9

Bests Good Field Before Large Crowd Cheering Him to Victory.

Cup, Races Consistently and Finishes Third.

Elgin. Ill., August 26.—The 3.05 mile road race to-day was won by Len Zengel. In a National, with Harry Grant, second, and Hugh Hughes, third.

Raiph Mulford, whose Lozier was the last away, and who won the race last year, set a terrific pace at once. For fifty-nine miles he drove at sixty-nine miles an hour, leading the field by a good six minutes. On the next lap, however, he went out of the race with a burnt connecting rod bearing.

This placed Len Zengel in first position, with Harry Grant two minutes behind him. It was in that relative position that they finished, although Grant lost two minutes when he stopped to change tires. Zengel made up two stops, both for gasolene and oil.

Hugh Hughes, the Mercer driver,

# BIVENS STARS

Has Things Pretty Much His Own Way at Meet Yesterday.

The motorcycle racesheld at the State Fair Grounds yesterday, attract, ed a small crowd, which theroughly enjoyed the sport One fall marred the faiternoon J. C. Crouch had a nasty spill, breaking his machine and suffering painful though not serious injuries. Summary:

Five-mile, single sylinder—B. B. Bowers, first; W. H. Jeftries, accord; Hardin Harris, third Time, 7:18.

Comic Coca Cola—Won by B. B. Bowers, first, third Time, 7:18.

Ten-mile, open—E. B. Sowell, first; B. B. Bowers, second, Time, 14.

Miss and out, five miles—B. B. Bowers, first Time, 7:18.

Five mile, twins only—B. B. Bowers, first Time, 7:18.

#### CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

At Greensboro: Greensboro, 2; Char-lotte, 1. (Elloven innings.) At Winston-Salem. Winston-Salem, 3; Greensville, 2. At Spartanburg: Anderson, 9; Spar-tanburg, 9.

### SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Albany: First game—Albany, 12; S. A. L., 2. Second game—Albany, 7; S. A. L., 1. At Jacksonville: Jacksonville, 2; Charleston

# TO BREAK HOODOO HITTING BEE

Becker and Groom Both Hit Hard in Early Stages of Game.

RECRUIT MORGAN LEADSHITTERS

But Athletics Win Two From Cleveland, and Detroit Does Not Gain-Yankees Defeat White Sox and Climb Back to First Division.

#### American League

RESULTS YESTERDAY. Washington, 6; Detroit, 11. New York, 3; Chicago, 2. Boston, 4; St. Louis, 5. Philadelphia, 7; Cleveland, 5 (first Philadelphia, &; Cleveland, 3 (sec

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Clubs.	Won.			Las
	won.			
Philadelphia		40 ,	.655	.69
Detroit		47	.605	.50
Boston		54	.521	.59
New York	60	59	.504	.50
Chiengo	50	59	.500	.30
Cleveland		59	.490	.43
Washington	. 50	69	.420	.46
St. Louis	35	82	.299	.31
	1000	-20		

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY. Philadelphia at Detroit.

New York at St. Louis.

Boston at Chicago.

Other game not acheduled.

found Groom and Becker for ten hits

## ST. LOUIS WINS A GAME

St. Louis, Mo., August 25.—Bostom made its last appearance of the season on the local diamond this aftermoon, and lost to St. Louis, 5 to 4. St. Louis started the scoring in the first inning, when two singles, two errors and a stolen base netted them two runs. Boston tied it in the third and went ahead in the fourth. The locals scored three more in the fifth and took the game. Both teams fielded poorly. Score:

Door the spans.

St. Louis.

AB H O A E

Shotton, cf 2 0 4 0 1 Hen's'n, rf 2 0 0 0 0 0

Austin, 2b. 4 0 2 2 0 Risgert, rf 1 0 0 0 0 0

Husan, 1f. 4 2 1 0 8 Speaker, cf 5 2 0 0 0

Ha'nan, 2b 3 0 2 2 1 Engle, 1b. 5 3 7 1 1

Sch'zer, rf, 4 1 2 1 0 Lewis, iff. 3 1 2 0 0

Black, lb., 6 0 7 1 0 Gardr, lb. 3 1 1 0 1.

Wallace, ss 3 2 4 3 1 Car agn, c 4 0 8 2 5

Kritchell, c 2 1 4 2 2 Wagner, 2b 4 1 5 3 0

Fowell, p. 1 0 0 1 0 Yerkes, ss, 4 2 2 2 5

George, p. 2 0 1 3 0 Clotte, p 1 0 1 6 0

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### ATHLETICS WIN TWO

At Albany: First game—Albany, 12; S. A. L., 2. Second game—Albany, 7; S. A. L., 1.

At Jacksonville: Jacksonville, 2: Charlestou, 0.

At Columbus: Columbus, 0. Columbia, 6. (Eleven innings.)

Another Auto Meet.

Columbus, O. August 26.—Preparations are under way for a big automobile speed tournament to be held at the Columbus Driving Park September 3. The feature event will be a 200-mile race.

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